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Attorney Docket No: 109846.286

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed herewith for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office are the following documents:

1. Response to Notification of Missing Requirements;
2. Executed Declaration;
3. Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements; and
4. Certification of Facsimile Transmission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$130 fee to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 08-0219 to maintain the pendency of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Response to Notification of Missing Requirements under
35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office**

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office dated October 12, 2001 (a copy of which is attached hereto), Applicants submit herewith a combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by each of the inventors.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any other necessary fees to maintain the pendency of the present application or to credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

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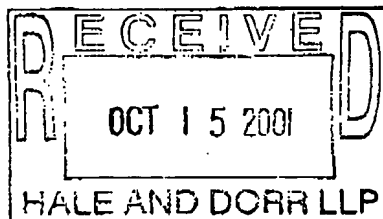
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- U.S. Basic National Fees
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- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the international application number and international filing date.

\$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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